SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT

WANTED FOR QUESTIONING





SUSPECT DESCRIPTION:

NAME: Lawrence Rivera
AKA: Lawrence Hale

DOB: 01/01/71 RACE: Hispanic

HT: 5'10"
WT: 185 lbs.
HAIR: Brown
EYES: Hazel

SYNOPSIS:

On May 15th, 2002, Barsrotw Sheriff's Station Deputies initiated a missing person investigation on an adult female identified as Kristina Garcia, who resided in Barstow California, after she failed to report to work on the morning of May 15th. Barstow Sheriff's Deputies responded to Kristina Garcia's residence and discovered her two year-old daughter at home alone. Barstow Sheriff's Detectives working the investigation suspected that Kristina Garcia's disappearance involved suspicious circumstances.

On May 22, 2002, at approximately 4:45 p.m. Sheriff's Homicide Investigators discovered the partially decomposed body of an adult female in the open desert area of Yermo Road Cutoff and Fort Irwin Road. Sheriff's Investigators later confirmed the identity of the body as 26 year-old Kristina Garcia.

Sheriff's investigators believe Lawrence Rivera (aka Lawrence Hale) to be the last person to have contact with Kristina Garcia. Rivera's whereabouts are currently unknown.

Lawrence Rivera is wanted for questioning concerning the murder of Kristina Garcia.

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